# Fasper News.

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# Your Heart's Desire

The Inspection of Our New Merchandise

Aand as springtime, with its many suggestions of joy and gladness, breathes its first call, "Get Ready!" into these days of warmth and sunshine, how that spirit for NEW THINGS clamors to be satisfied-

This year, although at times surmounting merchandise problems impossible, the ROBERTS STORE will perform its full duty toward the shoppers of this territory by providing with seeming lavish hand.

We have on display for your approval, our NEW SPRING LINES OF DRESS GOODS, WAISTS, GINGHAMS, HOSIERY, SHOES and OXFORDS.

We are headquarters for Seed Potatoes, Seds and Onion Sets.

We want your Gream, Eggs, Butter and Poultry, and pay the highest eash prices for same.



#### Public Ssles.

Joe Zaerr and W. E. Sweezy will hold a public sale of live stock, feed and implements at the Zaerr place, 3 miles south and deast of Jasper on Wednesday, February 28. A. W. Radford and George Sweezy will cry the sale.

# NOW ..

Is the time to seed your yards with Blue Grass and White Clover.

We have five tons PRAIRIE HAY left at \$7.00 per ton.

# Webb Bros.

#### A Poor Married Man.

The following play will be given at the opera house Wednesday night, February 28, by the Philsthea class of the M. E. Church, South:

Prof. John B. Wise, Poor Married Man, Olis Owings. Dr. Matthew Graham, A Country

Physian, Glen Buzzard. Billy Blake. Popular College Boy,

Dennis Steiner.

Jupiter Jackson, A Descendant of Ham, Wm. Redmond. Mrs. Iona Ford, Some Mother-in-law,

Maude Rice. Zoie, Her Charming Daughter, Lura

June Graham, A Little Freshman, and Rosalind Wilson, A College Report-

er, Grace Corder.

We fully believe that you will enjoy this good, clean, college comedy with its Humurous and spirited dialogue.

The News will be \$1.50 a year after March 1. All renewals and new sub-scriptions received before that time will be credited at \$1.00 a year.

## ONE

IN WHICH TO GET THE NEWS AT \$1.00

Many News Subscribers Enrolling. Please Hand this Paper to a Non-Subscriber.

Friends of the News are responding readily to the offer to get the paper for \$1.00-cither new subscriber or renewal -if the mency is paid on or before the last day of February. Beginning March I the price will be \$1.50 a year, 75 cents for 6 months, 40 cent for 8 months. It is not necessary to explain further why this is necessary. The parer has been \$1.00 for 20 years, while other things have raised from 50 per cent to three or four times their cost at that time. Twenty-three new sub-scribers have enrolled this month so far -more than one a day-and if every friend of the paper would pass this copy to some one else this week they would do us a very great favor. We are glad to have all these folks coming forward now and advancing their subscriptions one or two years each, though it saves them 50 per cent and costs us that much. We are glad because this act on their part registers the fact that they don't want the paper to stop coming and they are willing to express their confidence in this office by paying one, two and in several cases three years fin advance. Here are those who have so registered since February 1: Chas Hane Frank Crow

Mrs John Kineaid J M Zinn B H Ingles A C Hill A T Berry H E Norris A R McClurg W 8 Dickey Mrs J E Carter H O Earl J L Probert Mrs Rogers Ed Wardlow Mrs Geo Rex Mrs Zimmerman. Mrs A R Bowers Dr Drake Mis Will Roby Burl Garner CS Swibart W T Berry W A Gist Y A Cavenee Tom Hardaway F & Winter Walker Hardaway H Waltz C E Holmes FI HIII Mrs M Schooler W C Miller Joe Huber Fred Mitchell C R Patterson W N Carns Jasper Owings H W Patterson

W N Keener CA Covert Ben Gearig Mrs M Gresham F B Moser Fred Gresham E E Tabler Mrs M A Gardner Geo Waltz J S Thompson Wm Mevius Dan Johnson R F Berry F H Miller George Seal S R Mitchell Frank Wood W F Wood Geo McCune Clarence King F S Cline Mrs York M C Ridgley A D Gilbreath Mrs H Beall

A C Cline Frank Buerge A T Dean Mrs J W Keltner Mrs E Burns C M Wells Gus Campbell Mrs C A Nulph Jas Thomson F C Zaerr T H Tiller P J Lang Jas Keltner

J H Harris

Leroy Tiller

I C Simpson

W E Pfander Frank Isenmann Miss Lauderbaugh Roy Bryant J B Nealy Roy Carter Mrs A Beeson J C Stalter Mrs J B Cline S A Noland G A Brenneman W W MePeak C H Lilly Earl Harvey J J Zaerr A E Armstrong Mrs Anna Spaid R G Kyle C H Keener Mrs J P Johnston Chas F Thomas Mrs Goddard Mrs Henry Pugh Alva Pugh Chas Faris

W S Tabler

H R King

Jake Byers

H Hendricks

H E Ballard

Chas Ward

T P Wood

Geo W Costly

Mrs E Boyer

I W Edwards

L V Nunnelly

L T Waterbury

Allen Peterson

Mrs Dora Smith

B B McClintock

### G. W. Harvey in New England

We were more than surprised to get a letter this week from G. W. Harvey, written from New Britain, Conn. We didn't know he had left town. He writes that he arrived at New Britain via Albany, Troy and Hartford and that he will visit New York, Washington, Cleveland, Sandusky and Chicago before returning. He says he hopes Jasper folks are all well and fairly good natured.

#### James Lang Passes Away.

James Lang, who resided many years northeast of Jasper, on the place now owned by George Earl, died at St. Johns Hospital in Joplin last Friday afternoon, after an illness of about two years. He had been in the hospital about 8 months. Mr. Lang was a man who commanded the respect of all who knew him, and he had many friends here. The funeral was held at the M. E. Church Sunday morning at 9 o'clock and the body laid to rest in the Mitchell Cemetery, by the side of his wife who died nearly two years ago. The funeral was conducted by Rev. J. W. Moore.

Mr. Lang was born at Bloomfield, Iowa, November 29, 1847, and was nearly 70 years of age at his death. During the war between the States Mr. Lang served the Union two years as a private in the Twenty-third Illinois Volunteers. He brought his family to Jasper County 29 years ago from Illinois. Five years ago the family moved to Wentworth.

Five sons and two daughters survive leccased, as follows: James Lang, jr., Elijah, Peter J., Clarence and Charles, and Mrs. Lillie Jones and Mrs. Rosa

The family desire to express their appreciation of the kindness extended and sympathy offered while here for the funeral. They especially thank the old neighbors and friends for their help at the grave, and the choir and palibearers for their services.

#### L. L. Dennis Carthage, Dead.

The death of L. L. Dennis of Carthage announced here Saturday, having occurred about 11.15 a. m. of that day. He had been in bed shout a week and died of egysipelas.

Mr. Dennis was quite well known in Jasper, having visited here frequently with his daughter. Mrs. Allen Peterson. He had been prominent in the county as a prohibition and church worker, and was a member of the First Methodist Episcopai Church of Carthage.

Mr. Dennis was born July 10, 1853, at Williamsburg, Ohio, and in the early seventies moved to a farm in Barton County, near Nashville. He married Miss Anna E. Price and 13 years ago moved to Carthage and engaged in the real estate and loan busi-

The wife, and three children, Glenn Dennis, of Chino, Calif., Raymond Dennis, of Joplin, and Mrs. Allen Peterson, of Jasper, Mo., are left to mourn his passing. One brother, A. Z. Dennis, of Center Point, Iowa, also survives. Mr. Dennis' oldest brother died just two weeks ago at his home near Fort Scott, Kans.

#### Births.

The following births were reported to The News this week: By Dr. Knott-

To Will Law and wife, 212 miles west of Jasper, Tuesday, February 20, a boy. To Will McCune and wife, six and ne-half miles south st of Jasper, Sur day, February 18, twins—boy and girl. The boy weighed 5 pounds and the girl 4 pounds 12 ounces.

Obituary notice of A. W. Teeter will be found on page 10 under head of Rising Sun.

#### The Carter Garage South Main Street

# We Wish to Announce

That we are operating the JASPER-CARTHAGE AUTO LINE and will continue the former schedule, as follows:

Car leaves Jasper: 8 a. m., 10:30 a. m., 1 p. m. Car leaves Carthage: 9:15

a. m., 11:45 p. m., 4 p. m.

SERVICE DAY AND NIGHT.

The Carter Garage South Main Street

Mrs .Schooler Gives Luncheon. Mrs. J. K. Schooler gave a luncheon Tuesday in honor of Miss Jennie Schooler of Riverside, Wash, who is here on a visit. The following were present: Mrs. Thos. Dodd, sr., Mrs. Dule Schooler, Miss Jennie Schooler, Orman Schooler and C. L. Hill and wife.

#### Fresh Bread

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